GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5754
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ENQUIRY AGAINST IAS OFFICERS
KUNWAR SARVRAJ SINGH

Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Administrative Service Organisation has submitted the list of corrupt officers of its cadre to the Government;

(b) if so, whether the Government propose to take any action against such corrupt officers by conducting an enquiry in this regard; and

(c) if so, the details regarding level of enquiry to be conducted and the manner in which action to be taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING AND DEPARTMENT OF PENSION AND PENSIONERS` WELFARE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS

(SMT. VASUNDHARA RAJE)

(a): A group of IAS officers belonging to the Indian Administrative Service(IAS)of Uttar Pradesh cadre called the `Action Group` had handed over to the State Governmenta list containing the names of three most corrupt IAS officers ofthe cadres as identified by them.

(b) & (c): Under the All India Services (Discipline &Appeal) Rules, 1969 the Competent Authority to initiate action against the All India Services officers working in the State Governments forany act of misconduct committed while working with the State Governmentis that Government. Thus in the scheme of All India Services, the officers who are borne on the State cadres are accountable to the concerned State Government and it is for that Governmentto take necessary steps to investigate into the misconduct and take necessary action against them under the rules. The Central Government will come into the picture only in caseswhere the State Government proposes imposition of one of the three major penalties of compulsory retirement or dismissal or removal from service or seeks sanction for prosecution under the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.